

House File 2252

H-8234

1 Amend House File 2252 as follows:

2 1. Page 4, before line 16 by inserting:

3 <Sec. _____. Section 53.8, subsection 1, paragraph a,
4 unnumbered paragraph 1, Code 2018, is amended to read as
5 follows:

6 Upon receipt of an application for an absentee ballot
7 and immediately after the absentee ballots are printed,
8 ~~but not more than twenty-nine days before the election,~~ the
9 commissioner shall mail an absentee ballot to the applicant
10 within twenty-four hours, except as otherwise provided in
11 subsection 3. The absentee ballot shall be sent to the
12 registered voter by one of the following methods:

13 Sec. _____. Section 53.10, subsection 1, Code 2018, is amended
14 to read as follows:

15 1. Not more than ~~twenty-nine~~ forty-five days before the
16 date of the primary election or the general election, the
17 commissioner shall provide facilities for absentee voting in
18 person at the commissioner's office. This service shall also
19 be provided for other elections as soon as the ballots are
20 ready, but in no case shall absentee ballots be available under
21 this section more than ~~twenty-nine~~ forty-five days before an
22 election.>

23 2. Page 5, before line 3 by inserting:

24 <Sec. _____. Section 53.11, subsection 1, paragraph a, Code
25 2018, is amended to read as follows:

26 a. Not more than ~~twenty-nine~~ forty-five days before the
27 date of an election, satellite absentee voting stations may be
28 established throughout the cities and county at the direction
29 of the commissioner and shall be established upon receipt
30 of a petition signed by not less than one hundred eligible
31 electors requesting that a satellite absentee voting station
32 be established at a location to be described on the petition.
33 However, if a special election is scheduled in the county on a
34 date that falls between the date of the regular city election
35 and the date of the city runoff election, the commissioner is

1 not required to establish a satellite absentee voting station
2 for the city runoff election.

3 Sec. _____. Section 53.42, Code 2018, is amended to read as
4 follows:

5 **53.42 Voting in person in commissioner's office.**

6 Notwithstanding the provision as to time found in section
7 53.10, any qualified voter in the armed forces of the United
8 States may personally appear in the office of the commissioner
9 of the county of the voter's residence and there vote an absent
10 voter's ballot at any time not earlier than ~~forty~~ forty-five
11 days before the primary or general election, as the case may
12 be.>

13 3. By renumbering as necessary.

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